

ABOUT Plays and Players

By HIDE DUDLEY

ACTOR HERBERT and **IRVING BERLIN** are to furnish the music for the production **Charles Dillingham** and **F. Ziegfeld Jr.** will make at the **Century Theatre**. The show is to be divided into two parts, and the work of composing the numbers will be divided in a like manner. Mr. Herbert and Mr. Berlin signed contracts yesterday. The book and lyrics for the production will be written by half a dozen persons. Their identities have not been disclosed.

A BIG TIME COMING.
Under the supervision of Mrs. Mark A. Loewer, a benefit entertainment will be given at the headquarters of the Fire Department in Southport, Conn., Friday night, Aug. 11. The gross receipts will go into the department's treasury. Among those who will participate are **Josephine Burrows**, **Leo Ames**, **Edwina Covatta**, **Tina Dine**, **Gerard**, **Don Edwards**, **Rosa Lloyd** and **Charles McLaughlin**. In addition, **Chief Judge** of the Putnam Fire Department will exhibit some of his trained men, horses, ice worms and snail race.

NOTHING IN IT, SHE SAYS.
Helen Barnes of the "Follies" got down in her dressing room last night and discovered a poem. She said there was a person who had written it and she was sure of it. She was better way to do it than through the medium of verse. This is what Helen wrote:
I'm not sure if I'm a poet,
But I'm sure I'm a poet,
I'm not sure if I'm a poet,
But I'm sure I'm a poet.

MISS MOORE CATCHES A FISH.
Shirley Moore, now acting in **Incognito** pictures, went fishing at Salt Air, N. J., for a few days. She caught a small one. Shirley Moore got a vicious bite and she had to fight hard to land the fish. It proved to be a skate weighing about three pounds. Considering the amount of bait Miss Moore used, it was a cheap skate.

ROGERS IN THE "FOLLIES."
For the next two years, **Will Rogers**, the cowboy comedian, will be a feature of the "Follies." He will go into the show this week. While the company is in town he will continue in "The Midnight Frolic" also.

AN HONOR FOR LOPOKOVA.
After dancing with the Russian ballet in Madrid recently, **Lidia Lopokova** was personally congratulated for her work by the King and Queen of Spain. Miss Lopokova is now in Paris preparing to return to America to open with the Russian Ballet at the Manhattan Opera House in October.

A PARTY AT THE LIGHTS.
The "stay-at-home" of the **Light Club**, **Frederick**, will entertain the members who took part in the "Crucible" which ended at the Astor Theatre Sunday night, with a dinner and a vaudeville show at the club-house to-night. Four acrobats will sing a song while turning back flip-flops from the balcony of the club-house to the main floor. Art will be featured in various other ways. For instance, **Sam Tauber** will sing "Hitchie Koo."

BY WAY OF DIVERSION.
Said **Bliss McGurn** in **Peewee's** story: "There's never no use in a man getting sore. They tell me that anger will shorten one's life. I smile every time I run up against strife. You won't catch me frowning. Just cause something's wrong. I've got self-control and my will-power's strong. This town would be peaceful and quiet and fine if all of its men had mild tempers like mine. Jed Peewee won at old Peleg McGee. Said he: 'If yer mem'ry ain't workin', I see. The temper got bilin' when my old gray cat growled and clawed that there hole in yer hat. And then when your wife made you ditch the ice cream up home at her party you let out a stream of words that just cooled a whole lot of good air.' That's right," said old Peleg. "If I went on a tear. Old Bliss stood up and he said: 'You poor fools ain't got no more brains than a couple of mules.' He picked up his hat and he went to the door and turned, frowning deeply, to say something more. 'I'm through with this place,' Bliss shouted at Jed. And then he went out with his face fiery red. Jed Peewee took off a chew with his knife. Said he: 'His right mad. He'll shore shorten his life.'"

"S'MATTER, POP!"



HENRY HASENPFEFFER



FLOOEY AND AXEL



GOSSIP.
Joe Humphreys is on his vacation. George M. Cohan has finished another play. **Texas Quinn**, who calls herself "God's Masterpiece," is getting thin. **George Moser** and **Harrison Grey** Fluke will produce several plays during the coming season. **Dolly Hackett**, who sings "Pretty Baby" in "The Passing Show of 1916," is to remain at the Winter Garden when that attraction leaves. **Donald MacDonald** has been added to the cast of "The Amber Empress." **Charles Erin Varner**, comedian, has been engaged for a part in "Broadway and Hutterville." **Ruth Royce** had to cancel last week at the New Brighton because of illness. **Cecil Cunningham** took her place. **Richard W. Temple** has been allotted in a role in **Lew Field's** new play, "Step This Way!" "Purty," the Audrey Munson film, didn't open at the Liberty last night. The sanction of **Licenses Commissioner Hill** was lacking. **Dorothy Leeds**, a stately blonde from New Haven, has been engaged for "Betty," in which **Hayward Hitchcock** will star. **Florence Webber** has gone back to Hartford for a season in musical stock under the **Poll management**. She will open Monday in "Alma." The **Prinz's** baseball team will cross bats with the **Lights** nine at **Frederick** Saturday afternoon. **Capt. Martin Sampter** of the **Prinz's** is confident of winning. **Jim Corbett** will umpire. **Charles L. Gill** has brought his **Peter H. Kyne** playlet, "The Land Over Yonder," to New York, and will soon display it in the U. S. O. theatre. It takes a carload of scenery. The **Messrs. Shubert** will put the **Anna Held** musical show into rehearsal at the **Forty-fourth Street Theatre** Thursday morning. It will require 100 chorus girls.

By Jack Callahan.



Uncle Si Had Neglected to Provide the Child With Ear Muffs!

By C. M. Payne



Is He a Diplomat? Well, Rawther!



Well, What WAS There to Say?



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Cousin Eleanor's "Klub Kolumn."
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Please do not send six coupons to me with each drawing. The coupons are only to be sent by kiddies who wish to become members. Once you have become a member and have your pin and certificate, your name is entered in the Kiddie Klub book, and it is not necessary to send a second set of coupons. In fact, it causes me some little trouble if you do so, and I feel sure that you would not do that for the world. Would you?
And once again I must remind some of you to use only one side of your paper when submitting your stories and poems, for otherwise I must discard your contributions, which I wish to see in print just as much as you do.
YOUR COUSIN ELEANOR.
Dear Cousin Eleanor:
I think there never was and never will be another club as good as the Kiddie Klub. All the real fun compared to our writing up a couple of lines and sending them in. I will tell my friends to all the neighbors. **HAROLD B. BURNETT**, No. 29 Amsterdam Ave., New York City.
Summertime.
I wish I could go to the country. And stay on a big beautiful farm. There I would see many flowers and trees. But I would not do them any harm. Many a day and on would I roam. And help the farmers with their labors. And after the season when I go home, I will tell my friends to all the neighbors. **HAROLD B. BURNETT**, No. 29 Amsterdam Ave., New York City.
The Kiddie Klub House.
The Kiddie Klub house stands amidst fine lands. Not near the sea shore nor the little sands; The rank of the sun constantly shines. On this wonderful Kiddie Klub house of mine. Some ramp 'round the Kiddie Klub grounds, Some play at school on the inside of grounds. But none to play take out a book. And others at the residence of house do look. **ARTHUR B. BURNETT**, No. 1648 Lexington Ave., New York City.
Down by the river where the boats go, Over the sea where the steamships go, One in the middle where the horses grow, I use to spend my vacation, you know. **LEO ABRAHAM**, IRIDORE HAROWITZ, No. 171 East Broadway, New York City.
THE KIDDIE KLUB'S JULY PICTURE CONTEST.
Subject—"What Is Your Favorite Summer Game?"
The Evening World will give five one-dollar awards for pictures drawn this month by KIDDIE KLUB members only. One dollar each for the best picture drawn by a member not over seven years old; eight to nine years old; ten to eleven; twelve to thirteen; fourteen to fifteen years old; five classes in all. Pictures must be received not later than July 25, and must illustrate the idea suggested above. Beneath your picture you must write your name, address, age and the number on your membership certificate. Address KIDDIE KLUB PICTURE CONTEST, Evening World, No. 63 Park Row, N. Y. City.



By Bud Counihan



By Vic



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Every kiddie who joins the klub will receive a silver gray pin like the one here shown.

HONORABLE MENTION—JUNE PICTURE CONTEST
How James Haughey, age 11, No. 641 Madison St., West New York, N. J., would like to spend his vacation.